

GREEN RIVER ACTION PLAN: WHITE RIVER

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	ACTIVITY	WHO	STATUS	FY 03 10/02-9/03	FY 04 10/03-9/04	FY 05 10/04-9/05	FY 06 10/05-9/06	FY 07 10/06-9/07	FY 08 10/07-9/08	OUT- YEARS
I.	PROVIDE AND PROTECT INSTREAM FLOWS (HABITAT MANAGEMENT)									
I.A.	Develop estimates of basin water needs (see General Recovery Program Support Action Plan item I.D.1.A.).	CO/UT			X					
I.B.	Initially identify year-round flows needed for recovery.									
I.B.1.	Develop work plan.	FWS-FR	Complete							
I.B.2.	Identify flows.	FWS-FR	Late report in review	X						
I.C.	Evaluate how identified flows will be legally protected.	CWCB	Pending							
I.D.	State acceptance of initial flow recommendations (dependent on development of initial flow recommendations).									
I.D.1.	Review scientific basis, dependent on development of flow recommendations by FWS.	UT/CO	Pending							
I.D.2.	Assess legal and physical availability of water.	UT/CO	Complete							
I.D.3.	Assess compact considerations (in Colorado).	CWCB	Complete							
I.D.4.	CWCB notice of intent to appropriate (in Colorado).	CWCB	On hold							
I.E.	Legally protect identified flows (dependent on development of initial flow recommendations).									
I.E.1.	Protect flows in Colorado.									
I.E.1.a	Appropriate.									
I.E.1.a.(1)	CWCB approval to appropriate.	CWCB	On hold							
>* I.E.1.a.(2)	Colorado Attorney Generals Office file date.	CWCB	On hold							
>* I.E.1.a.(3)	Water court adjudication (litigation dependent).	CWCB	On hold							
I.E.2.	Protect flows in Utah.									
I.E.2.a.	Hold public meeting to establish future appropriation policy.	UT								
I.E.2.b.	Adopt and implement new policy (new appropriations subject to flow criteria).	UT		X						
>* I.E.2.c.	Prepare and execute contracts with water users as required to subordinate diversions associated with approved and/or perfected rights.	UT	As required	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
I.F.	Evaluate and revise as needed flow regimes to benefit endangered fish populations.	FWS/Program	Ongoing	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
II.	RESTORE HABITAT (HABITAT DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE)									
II.A.	Restore native fish passage at instream barriers.									
II.A.1.	Assess and make recommendations for fish passage at Taylor Draw.	PD	Complete							
III.	REDUCE NEGATIVE IMPACTS OF NONNATIVE FISHES AND SPORTFISH MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES (NONNATIVE AND SPORTFISH MANAGEMENT)									
III.A.	Reduce negative interactions between nonnative and endangered fishes.									
III.A.1.	Monitor escapement of nonnative fishes from Kenney Reservoir (especially black crappie and channel catfish).	CDOW	Complete							
III.B.	Reduce negative impacts to endangered fishes from sportfish management activities.									
III.B.1.	Assess adequacy of current regulations and options (including harvest) to reduce negative impacts on native fishes from nonnative sportfish and options to reduce angling mortality on native fishes below Kenney Reservoir.	CDOW	Complete							
III.B.1.a.	If necessary, assess management options to reduce escapement of black crappie from Kenney Reservoir.	CDOW	Complete							
V.	MONITOR POPULATIONS AND HABITAT AND CONDUCT RESEARCH TO SUPPORT RECOVERY ACTIONS (RESEARCH, MONITORING, AND DATA MANAGEMENT)									
V.A.	Conduct research to acquire life history information and enhance scientific techniques required to complete recovery actions.									
V.A.1.	Determine relative abundance and rate of Colorado pikeminnow congregation below Kenney Reservoir.	FWS-FR	Complete							
V.A.2.	Monitor the White River fish community downstream of Kenney Reservoir to determine long-term effects of mainstream impoundment on the White River.	FWS-FR	Complete							